

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**APPLICANT:** Brown et al.      **EXAMINER:** S.V. Gembeh  
**SERIAL NO.:** 10/005,902      **GROUP:** 1618  
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**FOR:** Biofilm Therapy Process and Elements

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**RCE RESPONSE**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed August 17, 2009, and in connection with the Request for Continued Examination filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as set forth herein. Should the Examiner wish to discuss any of the amendments and/or remarks made herein, the undersigned attorney would appreciate the opportunity to do so. Thus the Examiner is hereby invited to call the undersigned, collect, at the number shown.

Respectfully submitted,

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